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NO HOPE OF AVERTING EUROPEAN WAR

MARTIAL LAW IN GERMANY | STOCK EXCHANGES CLOSE

RUSSIA MOBILIZING TROOPS; GERMANY WILL FOLLOW

(International News Service.)

London, July 31.—"Russia has proclaimed a general mobilization of her army and navy. In consequence martial law has been proclaimed in Germany and we understand a general mobilization in Germany will follow."

This momentous statement was made to parliament this afternoon by Premier Asquith. This means that Great Britain has given up all hope that a general war will be averted.

Berlin, Germany, July 31.—Emperor William today decreed a state of war. The official announcement follows: "In conformity with paragraph sixty-eight of the constitution the Emperor has decreed a state of war."

The decree means the immediate mobilization of Germany's army of five million five hundred thousand men and their movement to the frontier. The decree is the result of Russia's failure to explain her mobilization of troops as demanded in the German ultimatum yesterday.

Martial law prevails throughout Germany. All railroad have been taken over by military authorities. Troops are being rushed to the Russian and French borders and hope of averting a general European war is now abandoned.

Athens, Greece, July 31.—A dispatch from Nish denies that Belgrade has fallen.

Chicago, July 31.—The stock exchange here has closed indefinitely.

Berlin, Germany, July 31.—The emperor declares a state of war for Germany and Bavaria. The army is being mobilized.

St. Petersburg—Noon.—The Czar demands knowledge of Austria's attitude in case of victories in Servia.

Vienna.—4 p. m.—Hope of localizing the Austro-Servian war is dim.

London — Noon. — Efforts for peace are proceeding but a general war is believed inevitable.

Rome,—6 p. m.—Italy is assembling fleet.

Nish,—Servians repulse the invading Austrians with heavy loss near Samandria.

Hamburg. — Hamburg-American Steamship Company suspended sailings of all its trans-Atlantic vessels.

Berlin—Diplomatic relations between Russia and Austria broken off.

New Orleans.—Cotton exchange here is closed.

Amsterdam—The Dutch army has been mobilized.

New York.—Cotton exchange has closed indefinitely. All principal cotton exchanges in the world are closed indefinitely.

Seek Information About Dothan Work

Queries concerning the plan of work outlined by the Dothan Chamber of Commerce, have been received by Secretary Cobb from a number of out of town organizations, thus indicating the interest shown in the progressive movement in this section.

Letters seeking information as to the work in Dothan have been received from commercial organizations at Rockhill, S. C., Columbus, Ga., Brewton, and Florala, Ala.

WANTED—Boarders. Telephone 452 for particulars.

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SPENCER HANGED FOR MURDER OF MRS. REXROAT

Chicago, July 31.—Henry Spencer, who confessed to twenty-five murders and many other horrible crimes, was hanged today in the DuPage county jail at Wheaton, Ill., for slaying Mrs. Mildred Allison Rexroat, a tango teacher who was infatuated with him.

The hardened criminal a few days ago had said, "I'm tired of waiting; get out the rope and let's have it over."

Spencer's victims were mostly women. "I have killed men," he said recently, "but women always attracted me to the extent that they filled me with a murderous passion. I am a woman hater."

Spencer was a real "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." He attended church regularly, often led in prayer and worked as a clerk. In his last days he enjoyed much recounting his frightful misdeeds.

"I met Mrs. Rexroat at a dance hall," he said in his latest version, "and took her home that night. We became friendly telling each other our troubles, I figured she thought me a kind of easy mark, and I danced awkwardly to lure her on. She tried to teach me the tango and I told her I would gladly pay her $1.50 a lesson for instruction. At first I had no thought of killing her. I had killed so many women, however, that the thought of murdering her didn't bother me much, and one night I got it into my head that I ought to have the big diamond ring she wore.

"I told her I was a farmer from near Wayne and she could organize a tango class there. At first I was going to take her to Michigan and kill her but she was so easy I decided that was too much trouble. She kept her appointment to meet me September 26 and on the way to Wayne we talked about our approaching marriage.

"We arrived in Wayne about 7:30 p. m. When we left the train it was very dark. I led her down the railroad tracks and below the viaduct I shot her through the head. She made no cry and I had to shoot only once. I then put her body across the railroad tracks, after drawing off her glove, taking her ring, and putting the glove back on again. When I got back to Chicago I gave the ring to a girl I met on the street. About this time I found my landlady had some money and if I had not been caught I would have killed her."

Investigators who looked up Spencer's list of murders decided his story was "80 per cent true." With either a revolver or a small blacksmith's hammer he killed the following:

Man shot to death for a few dollars about fourteen years ago.

Two Chicago policemen shot when they surprised Spencer and another robbing a store.

Fannie Thompson, Chicago rooming house keeper, killed with hammer and robbed of $1,200 in jewels.

Two Weber girls, Paw Paw, Mich. beaten over the head, their bodies thrown into a lake.

Girl at Delavan Lake, Wis., killed with hammer and body thrown into lake.

Aged man, Washington Park, Chicago, shot to death, robbed and body thrown into swan pond.

Woman in rooming house, Chicago, killed with hammer, clothing burned and house robbed of a few dollars.

Woman, rooming house keeper, killed with hammer, robbed of her rings and about $140 in cash.

Woman, Belle Isle, Mich., whom he met in New York. Took her money after beating her to death.

Woman, Fort Montgomery, N. Y., who was, Spencer said, formerly employed as a maid by Miss Helen Gould (Mrs. Shepard.) Married her, beat her to death, took $300 in cash and diamonds worth $800.

Ida Oliver, Chicago, beaten to death with hammer, body thrown into drainage canal, November 3, 1912.

Man shot when he resisted hold-up in downtown alley, Chicago.

Saloonkeeper, Chicago, killed him, wounded his wife while robbing saloon.

Two men whose names Spencer could not remember.

Bartender in a saloon on Park Row, Chicago, beaten with a hammer.

Unidentified man walking along Indiana Avenue, Chicago, shot by Spencer for brushing against him.

Two farmers beaten to death at Zion City, Ill., and their bodies thrown into Lake Michigan.

Man and wife at Round Lake, who had lost their way trying to walk to Fox Lake, beaten to death and robbed.

COTTON CROP CONDITION BELOW LAST YEAR

Washington, July 31.—The government cotton report this morning shows condition of the crop to be seventy-six and four-tenths per cent compared with seventy-nine and six-tenths per cent last year, and ten year average, eighty.

Alabama condition eighty-one; Louisana, seventy-six; Mississippi, seventy-nine.

RIVER PUBLIC HIGHWAY, DECLARE COMMISSION

Washington, July 31.—Holding that a navigable river is a public highway, the interstate commerce commission today sustained the contention of the Decatur Navigation company that railroads should be required to join with it in establishing through routes and joint rates between landings on the Tennessee river and points on the railroad's lines.

RAILROAD MEN CONFER WITH WILSON TO AVERT STRIKE

Chicago, July 31.—Representatives of ninety-eight Western railroads and enginemen left here for Washington today to confer with President Wilson in a last effort to avert a strike of fifty-five thousand enginemen and firemen.

The United State Board of Mediation failed to effect a settlement. The demand increased the wages and shorter hours.

Goods Sold And Shipped to Georgia

The five and ten cent store located on West Main street, has been evacuated by the McClure Company of Atlanta, who owned the stock of goods, which have been sold and shipped to Gainesville, Ga. The store was under the management of D. W. Galloway, who has returned to Atlanta. He is in the employ of the McClure company, which is one of the largest of its kind in the South.

Blackmon and Son, who occupied a building near the intersection of Main and Foster streets, have moved into the building made vacant by the removal of the stock of goods of the five and ten cent store.

FOREST FIRES SPREAD DESPITE HARD WORK

Missoula, Mont., July 31.—Two thousand acres of valuable timber has been destroyed by the forest fire which has raged in the Flathead national forest since last Sunday according to word received by District Forester Silcox here today. One hundred men are fighting the flames but have been unable to check theok their progress.

Twenty Cattle Are Dipped Near Town

An interesting meeting of farmers was held at Richards Springs yesterday, at which time L. J. Thompson, farm demonstration agent, made a talk concerning raising lespedeza.

From Richards Springs the party went to the farm of John Sanders, south of town, where twenty cattle were dipped into a dipping vat. Joe and John Sanders, Jr., sons of John Sanders, president of the Chamber of Commerce, ably assisted in the work. These young men are fast learning the "ropes" of the cattle business.

Among those from town who attended the two meetings were Dr. F. B. Whitfield, veterinary surgeon, J. H. Rabb, John Sanders and N. T. Cobb.

McADOO WOULD ISSUE CURRENCY TO MEET EMERGENCIES

Washington, July 31.—Secretary McAdoo issued a statement today declaring the government is ready to issue five hundred million dollars in currency to meet emergencies caused by the European war.

President Wilson is taking active steps to meet any emergencies caused by the European situation. After Secretary McAdoo's announcement that the government is ready to issue half billion in currency it became known that the President will probably nominate two remaining members of the Federal Reserve Board before night. This is in order that the new currency law may be put in operation at the earliest moment, and the decision was reached following advices that exportations of gold were extremely heavy.

NO PRECEDENT EXISTS FOR PRESENT CONDITIONS

New York, July 31.—Following the Wall Street failures the managers closed the Exchange in the interests of all, as the Liverpool exchange will be closed until Tuesday.

No precedent exists for present condition of affairs in Europe. This country must act to project itself by regarding all matters from a sane standpoint.

NEED ANOTHER SITE FOR JAIL

A question that is destined to receive a great deal of attention, and one that is daily becoming better understood by citizens, concerns the removing of the county jail to a more suitable location.

The question has been informally discussed by the County Commissioners Court, but of course nothing was done in the matter by that body, more than dropping the subject.

With the erection of a city hall building on North St. Andrews street while other buildings are going up in that community, comes the knowledge of the hasty development of that part of town, thus necessitating the removal of the jail.

There are plenty of locations in Dothan more suitable for the county jail than the present site, and besides that a modern jail, in keeping with the requirements of the State jail inspector, should be constructed. Thus, the necessity of another site becomes more apparent.

New York, July 31.—The stock exchange was indefinitely closed today following a meeting of the governors in the offices of J. P. Morgan.

The failure of S. H. P. Pell & Co., Homer Howe & Co., and F. J. Frederickson & Co., was announced on the cotton exchange. The Pell firm was one of the largest cotton brokerage concerns in the country.

Practically every cotton exchange in the world has suspended business.

PASTOR TELLS HOW TO LIVE ON SMALL SALARY

Financial Problem Solved by a Preacher in Little Country Church.

Middlebury, Vt., July 31.—How a pastor in a country church can raise a family on a small salary was described by Rev. M. L. Cutler, of East Jaffrey, N. H., at yesterday's session of the Rural Life conference in Middlebury college.

"For 27 years," said Mr. Cutler, "I have been pastor in a little country church, with a salary of $600 or less, house rent to come out of that, leaving a salary of $400, with which to live and raise a family.

"Financially the problem is impossible of solution after the usual way. I have worked among workers, as a citizen, as farmer, [illegible] tor, and office holder, nearly doubling my income in this manner, educating my children, winning respect and confidence of others, really preaching through practice and succeeding in the task."

LIGHTNING KILLS SON OF DONALDSONVILLE FARMER

Donaldsonville, Ga., July 31.—Lightning struck the residence of John Enfinger, a farmer near this place, Tuesday night, and killed a three year old boy and shocked the entire family. Some of the children were left speechless and unconscious for an hour but are better at present.

MILITANTS ARRESTED

London, July 31.—Mrs. Dacre Fox and another militant suffragette today raided Buckingham palace in a further effort to present a petition to King George. Both were arrested. A third woman chained herself to the railings around the ground and also was arrested.

SUCCESSOR TO LURTON WILL SOON BE NAMED

Washington, July 30.—President Wilson intends to appoint a member of the supreme court to succeed the late Justice Lurton during the present session of congress. He is now investigating the qualifications of lawyers suggested to him including about ten judges from different states, and several members of the cabinet. The president told callers today he would name a man in the near future because he did not approve of recess appointments.

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THE PERIL IN EUROPE.

Europe is threatened with the darkest and direst conflict of its history, says the Atlanta Journal. The war brand which Austria-Hungary has flung into the little Servian kingdom is wrapped with treachous fire that may leap from land to land and set the whole continent aflame. If Russia goes to Servia's aid and Germany backs Austria as present omens indicate the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente, which have long been agencies of peace, will become organs of terrible strife and a struggle of world-wide consequence will ensue.

With German's refusal to join in the mediation conference proposed by Great Britain and favored by Italy and France, hope of averting this peril has vanished. It is yet possible, through some miracle of statesmanship or diplomacy, to limit the scope of war, if not to prevent it entirely, but the immediate outlook is ominous. Germany is apparently determined to support its Teuton neighbor, while Russia gives evidence of active sympathy with its Slav kinsmen of Servia. If events continue in this course, Great Britain and France, as allies of Russia in the Triple Entente, and Italy, as the ally of Germany and Austria in the Triple Alliance, may be drawn into the struggle. With such foes in the field the world would be shaken by one of the greatest wars ever known.

Austria's attack upon Servia is based avowedly on the assassination of the Crown Prince and his wife, through a conspiracy in which Servian officers are alleged to have been implicated. The Servian government, however, met all the Austrian demands that could be met without utter surrender of national existence; it was willing to make all reasonable reparation and to abase itself to the limit of integrity. But the Dual Monarchy would not be satisfied; apparently it was waiting and eager for a pretext of war to advance its eastern boundaries and crush the little kingdom that stood in the way of its ambition.

However this may be, Austria's stroke was shrewdly calculated, being timed with a view to general conditions in Europe. Russia, France and Great Britain are now absorbed with domestic problems. Servia, though its fortunes prospered in the recent Peninsula warn, is still weak from that struggle, as are also its Balkan friends. Furthermore, Austria feels the need of foreign activity to allay its internal force. The Dual Monarchy is aware of declining vigor. If its waning prestige is ever to be restored, it must be now.

The blow against Servia was [illegible] at what seemed the most [illegible] moment for advancing [illegible] purposes. The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand and his wife by Serbs, brutal though it was, could scarcely be held, in the light of circumstances ... as a justifiable cause of war. A deeper motive is to be found in the fact that Servia is waxing in strength and is a part of the great Slavic family of which Russia is the head and which is becoming more and more disquieting to Austria's mind.

It is chiefly this fact that is responsible for jealousy and suspicion between Russia and Germany. For years, Russia has worked adroitly toward the development of Slavic unity, encouraging the aggressive spirit of her kinsman in the Balkans, seeking to bind them more closely to one another and to herself. Germany and Austria, at the same time, have worked for their mutual interest as Teutons. And now it seems that these conflicting aims, racial as well as political, are to meet in a decisive test.

BACK TAX COMMISSIONERS.

We don't know whether or not the incoming governor is committed to the abolition of the back tax commissioner's office, as we have heard of no statement one way or the other coming from him during the campaign. However, the abolition of this office may be one of the planks of his platform of "peace." Let's hope so.

This system the back tax commissioner has of citing property owners to appear before the county commissioners every other year (it would be every year if the law did not prohibit) and show cause why the valuation of his property should be raised, is getting to be a nuisance, and the honest citizenry of the state is tired of it.

Many of these raises are unjust and would never be thought of were it not for the hungry back tax commissioner who gets a fee out of it.

One instance comes to mind of a small mercantile concern that was hooked for a raise to more than the amount of stock and fixtures carried, and the raise stuck, in spite of this fact that the owner is not required to give in his property at more than sixty per cent of its valuation.

If these greedy fee wolves cannot be exterminated then let's destroy the means of his existence and harassing activity—put him on a salary basis. If you'll pay him a flat salary of about $100 a year you will begin to notice immediately that he has lost interest in what is to him now the great inequity of our taxing system.

However, it is believed that the people are so enraged at his past activities they would rather see his office completely abolished.

MORE ABOUT DRINKING FOUNTAINS.

What must be the opinion of visitors to Dothan, especially those with ordinary humane feelings, to find that our splendid little city has so sadly neglected to provide for the comfort of man's faithful friends, the horses, by installing a few drinking fountains down town for them?

This has been a record summer for heat and drouth, and many a poor, faithful old horse in Dothan has suffered the agonies of unquenched thirst, as he pulled his heavy loads over the paved street that gave back their heat with increased fury.

Will this condition exist next summer? The Eagle believes not. Surely there are people enough here with humane feelings to start a movement that will meet this great need of our dumb friends.

"The maintenance of the liquor traffic is not a state right; it is a state wrong," said Senator Sheppart of Texas. True.

THE DEVIL'S WORK.

Commercial Appeal.

The helplessness of nations and men was impressively shown by what took place in Europe yesterday. No one wants war, but all Europe is drifting dangerously near war.

Millions of men armed to the teeth took up a notch in their belts and prepared to kill or be killed. Austria, 10 times as big in territory people and soldiers, declared war against Servia.

Germany is Austria's ally, Russia is the father protector of the Slavs. If Russia moves to help Servia, Germany and Russia will fight. Then France will help Russia, and Italy must help Austria.

England has a civil war on her hands, but England may help France.

We believe the war will be confined to Austria and Servia with possibly Montenegro helping Servia, but the wish may be father to the belief.

Already the day's doing has shocked the business world. Yesterday millions were lost. In Europe the exchanges closed and in Germany and Austria there were runs on banks.

Wheat shot up almost a dime a bushel. One may say this will be good for the United States because we have lots of wheat. It will hurt us in the South, because the wheat, which we do not grow, will come to us in flour at a big advance.

Meat prices will also soar. We will be caught there.

Cotton will fall. We will be caught between the upper stone of high flour and meat and the lower stone of cheap cotton.

Again we have no merchant ships. If the war becomes general we may not be able to get American products abroad.

All our exports are carried under foreign flags.

Yesterday gold went out of this country in a torrent. (That fool Senate of ours is still stopping the working of the new banking law.) We may lose more gold.

War truly is the devil's work.

DOTHAN THE REAL METROPOLIS.

"The Troy Herald tells of the burning of grass in the streets of that town, causing excitement, and calling out the fire department. Troy will soon lose its title as the Metropolis of Southeast Alabama." If it persists in allowing grass to grow in its streets. And she had better be looking to her laurels, for Dothan is running her a close second for the title."—Montgomery Times.

Troy has no title as "The Metropolis of Southeast Alabama." As a matter of fact and figures, Dothan is now several thousand ahead of Troy in population. Dothan is recognized as "The Metropolis of Southeast Alabama."

It would take more than burning grass in Dothan to cause a flutter of excitement. As the downtown streets are paved with brick and sidewalks with cement, there is no place for grass to grow. The residential sections, where the sidewalks but not the streets, are paved, are also practicaly clear of grass.

It would take too much space to point out specifically how Dothan is far ahead of Troy, but we might add that the modern five-story Young building is almost completed, and Dothan will have the biggest fair this Fall ever held in Southeast Alabama.

Dothan is the undisputed "Metropolis of the Wiregrass." We are surprised at the good natured ignorance of The Times, and invite the editor to come down and seek knowledge.

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9.

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64.

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94.

100 acres 11 miles west of Dothan and two miles north of Jellico, 20 acres open, 3 room house and good pump well. Price $650. One hundred and fifty dollars cash and balance in one, two and three years with 8 per cent interest.

88.

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20.

80 acres of good land 10 miles west of Dothan, 55 acres in cultivation, two tenant houses. Forty acres of place worth more money than price of whole place. Price $1,250. Terms.

91.

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92.

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15.

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6.

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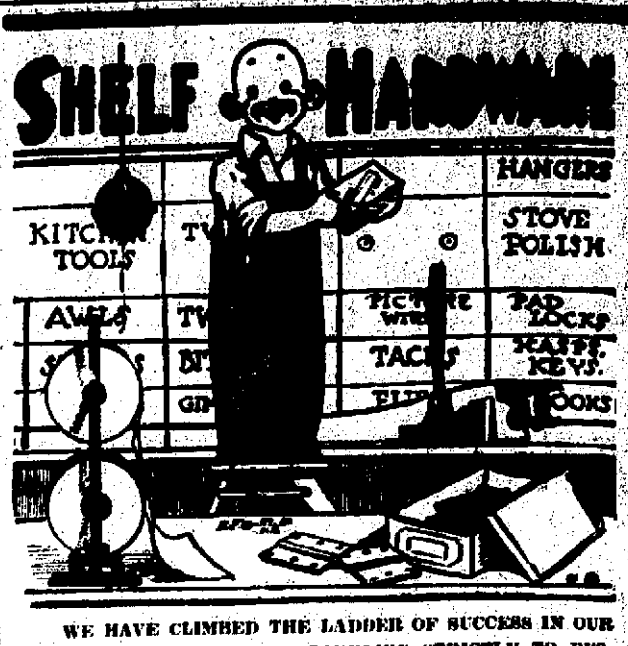

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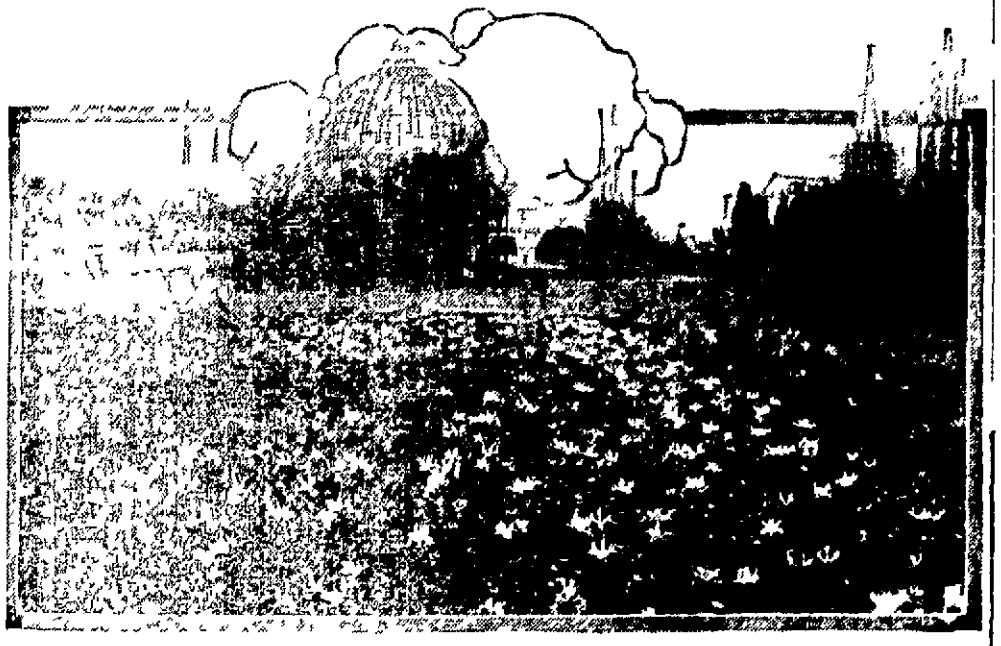
A GLIMPSE OF A FAIRYLAND IN THE GREAT SOUTH GARDENS.



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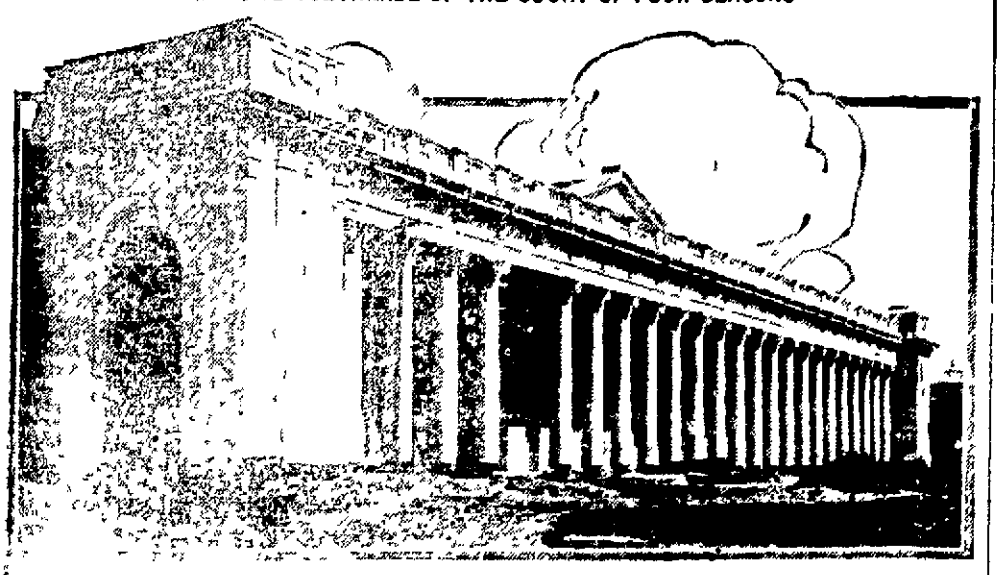
Upon entering the main gates of the Panama Pacific International Exposition from San Francisco the visitor will find before him a vast stretch of land and pleasure grounds wherein are set millions of beautiful flowers in bloom where fountains play and groups of statuary [illegible] at intervals. This is the great South Gardens. The photograph herewith shows the South Gardens as the visitor sees and gives a glimpse of the fairyland which will delight exposition visitors. Thousands of rare trees, palms and shrubs have been brought from all parts of the world for the landscaping which is conducted in that region in the way which the semi tropical climate of California permits. There have been brought to San Francisco giant trees from Australia, rhododendrons from England and West Virginia, tulips from Holland, bougainvillias from Hawaii and Central America. Large trees some of them more than sixty feet in height and of great girth have been transplanted to the grounds. The Panama Pacific International Exposition opens in San Francisco in February 1915.

MASSIVE COLONNADE OF THE COURT OF FOUR SEASONS



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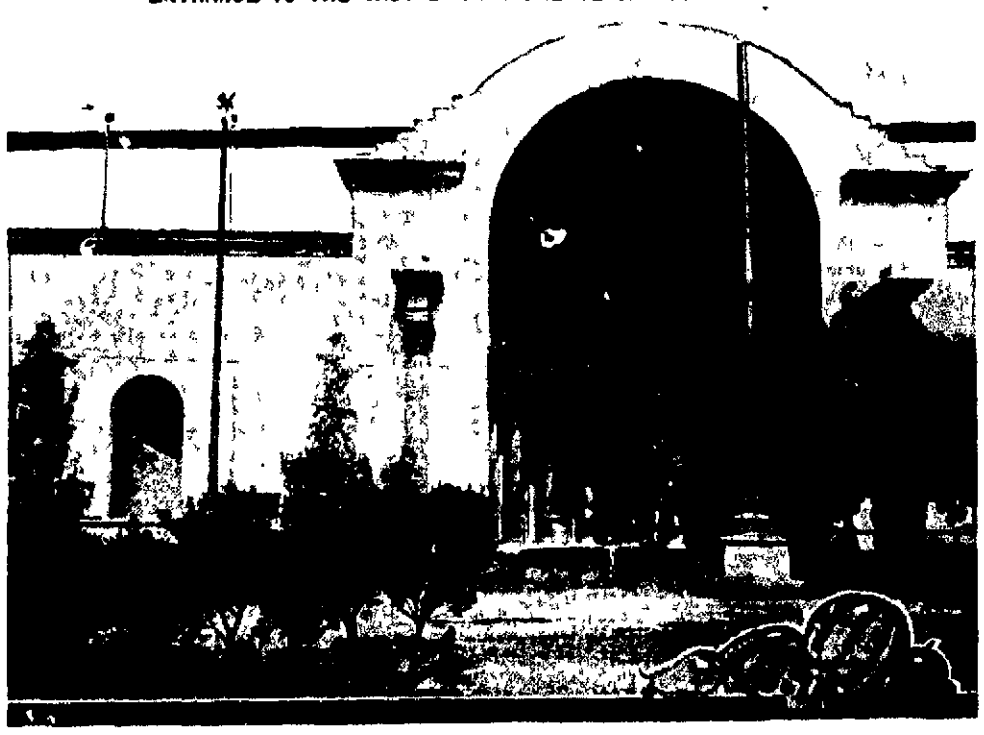
This is a view of the Court of the Four Seasons upon the esplanade on San Francisco harbor and [illegible] to Palace of Agriculture. One of the columns of the colonnade has been temporarily [illegible] the palace. Panama Pacific International Exposition San Francisco 1915.

ENTRANCE TO THE VAST EXHIBIT PALACE OF FOOD PRODUCTS.



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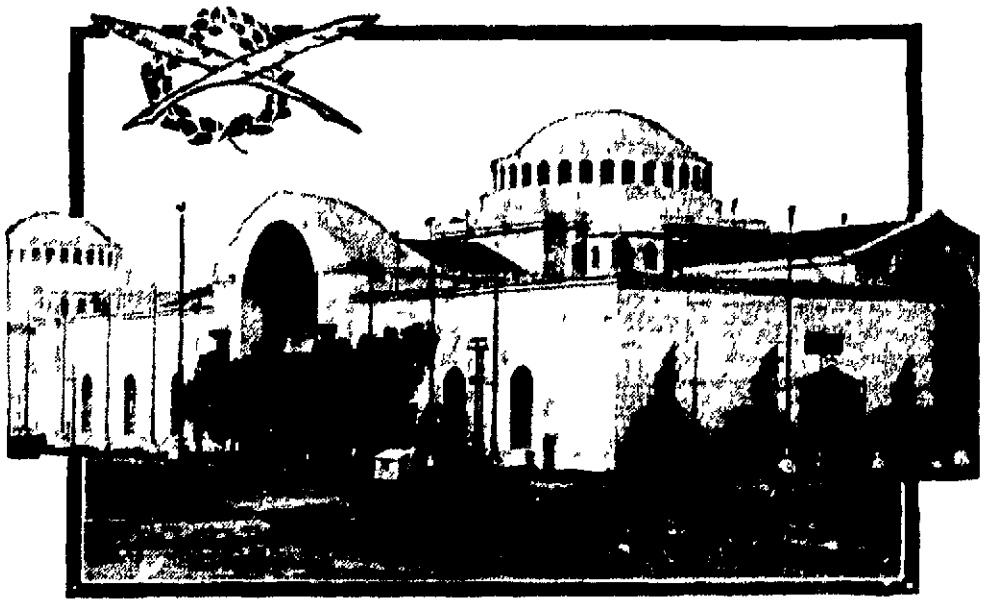
The photograph shows the great western portal or entrance way of the huge Palace of Food Products. The half dome is known as the Half Dome of Vikor and is 113 feet in height. Brilliant glorious colors are employed in the mosaic in the vault of the half dome which was designed by Mr. Julia Morgan one of the most celebrated decorative artists in America. To the left are seen some of the ornamental shrubs that will be in bloom when the Panama Pacific International Exposition opens at San Francisco in February 1915.

PALACE OF EDUCATION AT AMERICA'S GREAT EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.



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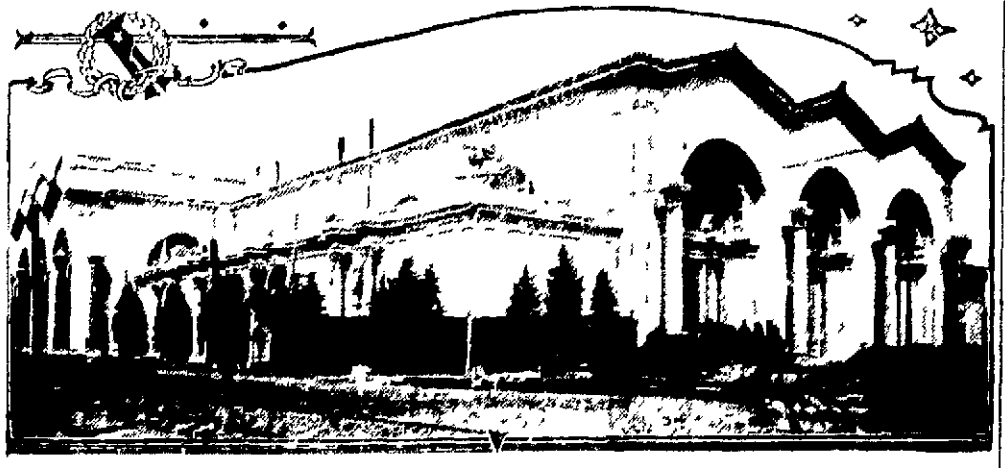
This palace occupies a site at the southwest corner of the main group of exhibit palaces. To the left is the Half Dome of Thought constituting the main western entrance to the palace. This is one of two half domes constituting the principal architectural embellishment of the western facade of the main group the other being the Half Dome of Vikor the principal western entrance to the Palace of Food Products.

These domes are modeled after similar recesses in old Roman baths, or in buildings surrounding the Forum. Within the cool shade of these beautiful doorways the leisurely gentlemen of old Rome were wont to gather for informal lectures and discussions.

Within the shadow of the Dome of Thought will be a semicircle of eight colossal columns surmounted by figures by Ralph Stackpole embodying ideas of intellectual development. Within the Dome of Vigor a similar colonnade will be surmounted by figures by Earl Cummings representative of the ideals of physical development. In the center of both entrances will be a fountain. The portals in the southern facade are [illegible] Mr. W. P. Favilla is the architect. The Panama Pacific International Exposition opens in San Francisco in February 1915.

HUGE PALACE OF MACHINERY AT WORLD'S GREATEST EXPOSITION.



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The great Palace of Machinery as seen from its south facade. The mechanical triumphs of the world will be displayed in the great Palace of Machinery at the Panama Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco next year. This colossal structure is almost a thousand feet long, four hundred feet wide and is 115 feet high. The installation of exhibits in the huge structure has already begun. Three vessels the size of the world's largest steamship could easily be placed in this vast structure and with room to spare.

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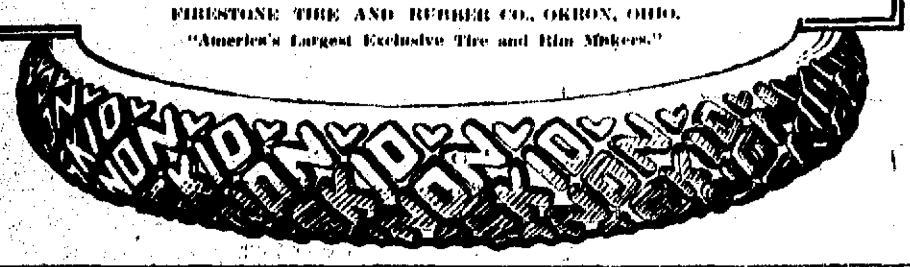

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Good Roads As Crop Producers

Government Studies Show How the Output of a County Depends Upon its Highroads.

That an improved road will increase vastly the productiveness of the area through which it runs has now been satisfactorily demonstrated by studies conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture in Virginia. Conditions in Spotsylvania county were investigated with particular care, and the results have proved surprising. In 1908 the county voted $100,000 to improve 40 miles of roads. Two years after the completion of this work the railroad took away in 12 months from Fredericksbug, the county seat, 71,000 tons of agricultural and forest products hauled over the highways to that town. Before the improvement of the roads this total was only 49,000 tons annually; in other words, the quantity of the county's produce had risen more than 45 per cent. Still more interesting, however, is the increase shown in the quantity of dairy products. In 1909 there amounted to 114,815 pounds, in 1911 to 273,628 pounds an increase of practically 140 per cent in two years. In the same time shipments of wheat had increased 59 per cent, tobacco 31 per cent, and lumber and other forest products 48 per cent.

In addition to this increase in quantity the cost of hauling each ton of produce was materially reduced. In other words, the farmers not only produce more, but produce more cheaply, for the cost of transportation to market is of course an important factor in the cost of production. From this point of view, it is estimated that the $100,000 spent in improving the roads in Spotsylvania county saved the farmers of that county $41,000 a year.

In the past two years the traffic studies of the Federal experts show that approximately an average of 65,000 tons of outgoing products were hauled over the improved roads in the county an average distance of 8 miles, or a total of 520,000 "ton miles." Before the roads were improved it was estimated that the average cost of hauling was 20 cents a "ton mile;" after the improvement this fell to 12 cents a "ton mile" or a saving of 8 cents. A saving of 8 cents per mile on 520,000 "ton miles" is $41,000 a year. The county's investment of $100,000 in other words returns a dividend of 40 per cent annually.

Because this saving, in cases of this character, does not take the form of cash put directly into the farmer's pocket there is a widespread tendency to believe that it is fictitious profit, while as a matter of fact it is just as real a source of profit as an increase in the price of wheat.

In Dinwiddie County, Va., for example, where peanuts are one of the staple crops, the average load for two mules on a main road was about 1,000 pounds before the road was improved. After its improvement the average load was found to be 2,000 pounds, and the time consumed in hauling the larger load to market was much reduced. In other words, one man with a wagon and two mules could do more than twice as much work with the improved road than with an unimproved road. This is the explanation of the extraordinary rise in the total output of agricultural products in a county with a good road system.

ARMY POST HAZING

A Very Raw Recruit Who Got a Very Warm Reception.

HIS CLASH WITH "OLD BULL."

After the Quite Informal Introduction to the Colonel Was Effected the Tables Turned and "Corporal Suds" Got a Dose of His Own Medicine.

General E. V. Sumner, who was long colonel in command of the "Fighting Seventh" cavalry, was known to the rank and file of his regiment as "Old Bull." His gruff manners may have had something to do with the nickname, but it came to him fairly by inheritance. His father, General Sumner, bore it before him.

When the Seventh was stationed at Fort Grant, Arizona, a very raw recruit was sent on from Kansas City. As usual, the men persecuted him from the start. He returned meekly from the ordnance stores with the information that "left handed rainsols" were all gone; without batting an eyelash he reported that the sergeant in charge of the post exchange swore at him when he applied for his "butter checks." They took his last two bits away from him in the canteen in some hocus pocus game. After supper he was "blanket tossed" until the arms of the tossers grew weary, and three times that night his bunk collapsed amid roars of merriment. The recruit then gave up the struggle and lay shivering upon the floor until morning.

He neither murmured nor complained. In fact, he seemed to be so unsophisticated that when he asked his room corporal where he could have some washing done the corporal, with a jerk of his thumb, indicated the commanding officer's house on the corner of the parade. "Go over to that big house," the corporal directed. "Take your bundle with you and ask for Old Bull. He takes in all the washin' at this post."

Grasping his little bundle, the green lad from Kansas City shambled across the parade, mounted the colonel's front stoop and innocently pulled the doorbell. The joke was an old one, as Old Bull had never been known to answer the bell in person, and more than one recruit had learned the way to "Soupsuds row" after a tongue lashing from the commandant's dusky maid of all work. And as she had threatened to scald the next man who bothered her about his washing the tip was passed along from troop to troop, and the men swarmed out on the verandas to see the fun.

But just as the recruit pulled the bell who should step out but Old Bull himself, booted and spurred for his morning ride.

"What do you want here?" he thundered, surprised to see an enlisted man at his front door.

"I—I—I wanted to see about gettin' these sh-shirts and socks done up, m-mister," stammered the frightened recruit. "They told me to come over here and ask for Old Bull," he added.

"Well, I'm Old Bull!" roared the colonel. "You come along with me and point out the man that sent you over here," he went on as he grasped the astonished youth and hurried him toward the troop quarters.

The crowds upon the verandas melted away as Colonel Sumner approached, but the guilty corporal was found lurking in the troop barber shop. Some heated language ensued, and then at the end of the painful interview Old Bull delivered himself thus:

"Corporal, I ought to have you court martialed. I could have your stripes taken away and see that you got about thirty days into the bargain or I could have you fined. But you've been one of my best noncoms. You're always sober and a good shot, and so I'm not going to take your chevrons, your liberty or your money away from you. But since you're such an expert on laundry matters I order you to do this man's washing on the front porch of these quarters every Monday morning at guard mount.

"And you," he bellowed, turning to the recruit and shaking his gauntlets at him, "you see that you have at least two suits of underclothes and seven pairs of socks for him every week. And if he don't wash 'em clean you report to Old Bull, that's me!"

And thereafter for several months, until a band of Tonto basin Apaches went on a rampage and gave them more serious things to think about, the men of the Seventh looked forward happily to Monday morning guard mount. The noncommissioned laundryman became known as "Corporal Suds" and was teased about the affair until the day a piece of Spanish shrapnel cut short his existence.—Youth's Companion.

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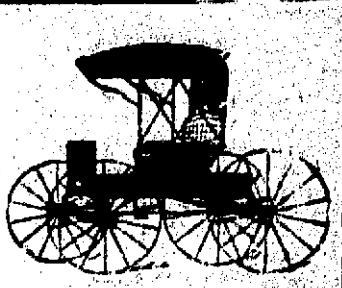

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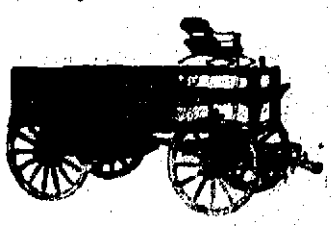

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JUST A WILD FLOWER.

You each and all may praise your flowers
A-growing fair and slender,
And say they're like your lady loves,
All their fare charms to lend her.

But a wild flower, a wild flower, a bonnie little wild flower,
Of all the flowers I'll ever know
Of all the flowers that ever grow,
I like it best, a wild flower.

Then walk in your gardens if you will
And watch the lilies growing;
Look down on well-kept beds and see
The roses how they're growing.

But the wild flower, the wild flower show me the bonnie wild flower,
A flower that smiles at night and day,
Just buds and blooms its own wild way,
Mine be the little wild flower.

Then while ye seek the garden flowers,
That grow like ladies stately;
I'll on the prairie, 'long the road,
Seek daisies that bloomed lately.

And a wild flower, the wild flower, my bonnie little wild flower,
Is like an artless little maid
Who grows unkept in sun and shade,
My love be like a wild flower.

—Esther Littleton.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

The common problem, yours, mine, everyone's
Is not to fancy what were fair in life,
Provided it could be, finding first
What may be, then, find how to make it fair,
Up to our means, a very different thing,
My business is not to reamke myself,
But make the absolute best of what God made.

—Robert Browning.

AN ENJOYABLE DANCE—

The young men of the city entertained at a most enjoyable dance last evening, honoring the visiting young ladies.

At about nine o'clock the couples began gathering at the armory and all of the new styles of the dance were enjoyed until a late hour. All seemed to spend a most pleasant evening.

Friends of Mr. C. D. Brinkley will be pleased to learn of his promotion to division manager for the Reynolds Tobacco Co. He will be given his headquarters, Miss., division and will move immediately. We are glad to hear of his good fortune, but hate to have them leave Dothan.

MISS GUSSIE RAINER,

HONOREE—

Mrs. Ernest Ford was the charming hostess Thursday morning when she entertained in honor of her attractive little sister, Miss Gussie Rainer of Elba.

Mrs. Ford received the guests and served them refreshing punch from a prettily appointed table in the reception hall. The reception hall and porch were both attractively arranged, many ferns and numerous vases of brown-eyed Susans, forming an effective background for the happy players. Six tables were placed and progressive "Old Maid" was the game of the morning.

At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Ford assisted by Misses Jewel Harris, Lucia Porter and Evelyn Logan, served a delightful ice course to Misses Iona Carmichael, Louise Morgan, Grace Faircloth, Martha Moye of Cuthbert, Louise Taylor of Cuthbert, Gladys Whatley, Eva Gloan, Sara Owens, Eleanor Logan, Katherine Logan, Annie Ross, Maeve Helms, Nell Reid, Mary Jeter, Esther Williams, Jessie Mae Hunter, Ophelia O'Neal of Atlanta, Flora Howell and Evelyn Logan.

MULLINS-PURCELL WEDDING

OCCURS IN COFFEE SPRINGS.

A wedding around which centers the interest of many friends here was that of Miss Irma Purcell, of Coffee Springs, to Mr. J. Norton Mullins of Hartford. The wedding occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. R. P. Williams.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Mullins left for a short wedding trip. Both bride and groom have many friends here who wish for them every happiness and continual prosperity.

Mrs. Mullins will be pleasantly remembered here where she often visited as the guest of Miss Edith Brown on West Main street.

Mrs. H. E. Gipson, formerly Miss Lillie McNeill of Prattville, arrived in the city last night for a visit of several weeks to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. H. McNeill.

Mr. Bob Clark has returned from a visit to relatives in Huntsville, Ala.

Mrs. Frank Valentine has returned from an extended stay in Clayton.

Mrs. Eric Gellerstedt will arrive in the city tomorrow after an extended trip to Colorado.

Miss Della Buckle, Miss Helen Buckle, and Mrs. Hattie Marten of Louisville, Ky., arrived in the city last night to be the guests of Mrs. A. J. McAdam, South Foster street, for several days.

GEN. FUNSTON'S FEATS IN WAR

Captured Aguinaldo Almost Single Handed.

WON HIM A BRIGADIERSHIP.

Leader of Fifth Brigade Into Mexico Entered Army In 1901—Wounded Ten Times in Battle—Such a Factor in Cuban Troubles That "Butcher" Weyler Set Price Upon His Head.

Fighting Fred Funston, who has been ordered to lead the first advance of the army to Vera Cruz, is the senior brigadier general of the American army, although he is now only forty-nine years old and did not enter the regular army until 1901. He came into the regular establishment with the rank he now holds, his commission having been given by President McKinley in appreciation of his remarkable feat in capturing almost single handed, Emilio Aguinaldo, the Filipino insurrecto leader.

Funston had been in the volunteer service from the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, when he recruited the Twentieth Kansas among the same kind of men forming the backbone of the rough riders. Before he engaged in the enterprise he had been for about two years a soldier in the Cuban army of liberation, and so big a factor was he in the warfare that "Butcher" Weyler, the Spanish generalissimo, set a price upon his head.

Daring Explorer and Soldier.

Funston is a product of the University of Kansas. After his student days he became a newspaper man, then entered the service of the United States department of agriculture and was sent to Alaska to study the flora. He showed the stuff of which he is made by floating down the Yukon alone in a canoe in 1893.

He was wounded ten times in battle. During his Cuban experience he took part in twenty-three engagements, and he kept that pace after entering the American volunteers. Once he was arrested in Cuba by Spaniards as he was trying to reach the seacoast. He represented himself as a deserter from the patriot army, having swallowed his passport, which indicated his rank. He was condemned to death, but eventually was liberated and got back to this country.

His Kansas regiment was assigned to Philippine duty, and on his way he met and married his present wife in San Francisco. He joined General Merritt before Manila, which he aided in reducing. Leading the pursuit of Aguinaldo in April, 1899, he came to the Muriac river, on the other side of which was a considerable force of the enemy. The bridge had been destroyed, but Funston, with twenty of the many men who volunteered, swam the river, drove the hostiles back and took eighty prisoners.

As "Prisoner," Took Aguinaldo.

A few days later he crossed the Rio Grande at Calumpit on a raft and drove the enemy, 2,500 strong, from an intrenched position. This feat won his brigadiership of volunteers.

It was in 1901 that he made his big mark. From his hiding place in the province of Isabella, Aguinaldo had called the insurgents to rendezvous near his headquarters. Funston captured the messenger who carried this command. He and several comrades made their way through the thick of a hostile country with eighty Macabebes, who passed as insurgent Tagalogs who had captured the American. Word was sent to Aguinaldo, and orders were given for the prisoners to be brought to him.

Before the strategy was suspected Funston had entered the rebel's house and taken him prisoner. That act broke the neck of the insurrection, and peace negotiations were at once begun.

Funston is a little man, with a limp, a memento of several wounds. He possesses a bubbling sense of humor.

WATCH THE WATER.

When the individual or a family departs for a summer outing the natural tendency is to leave as many cares behind as possible, and to relax many of the cautionary methods they carefully observe at home. Of these none is perhaps as important as that of drinking water, for many who go out to seek recuperation, return home with a dangerous attack of typhoid. Unsafe food will usually betray itself, but a drinking water that is clear as crystal, and quite palatable, may be full of deadly germs.

The summer resorter, therefore, will do well immediately on arrival to make a thorough investigation on his own account, and not be content to take the assurance that is so confidently offered. The writer recalls a fishing summer resort hotel at a lake where the house was an example of neatness, and the lake clear and deep. An examination, however, disclosed a gas engine busily at work pumping from the lake and only 20 feet away all the sewerage and waste water from the place as busily returning to its original source. When questioned the manager was positive no harm could result because the lake was deep near shre and the wind frequently stirred it up.

Wells especially are suspicious propositions, as underground streams often carry a considerable distance, even when surface drainage is apparently take care of, in all cases of doubt it is much safer to insist on boiled water, which when cooled is not very objectionable as to taste, and is much safer.

The city dweller is, moreover, less immune to many risks the person living an outdoor life constantly might successfully resist.

In seeking health be sure you don't find sickness.—H. H. Windsor in the August Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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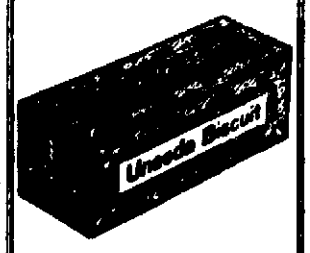

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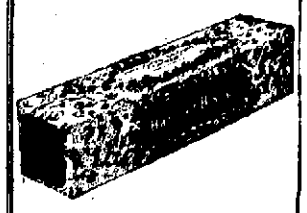

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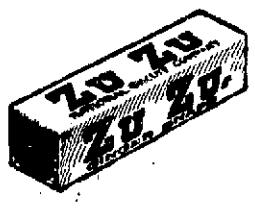

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CHARGED WITH RETAILING.

Charged with retailing liquors in violation of the federal laws, Monch Tyson, colored, of Poley, was given a hearing before United States Commissioner C. S. Tutwiler Friday morning, and bound over to the Federal grand jury under a $200 bond.

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WICKSBURG NEWS

The Holiness meeting closed Sunday night after a 3 weeks' meeting.

W. J. Peterson is quite sick at his home near Bethel.

The Freewill's closed their meeting at Goodwater Wednesday night. Five members were received for Baptism during the meetings.

The protracted meeting will open at County Line Saturday. Rev. A. M. Glover of Newton and Rev. Mr. Williams of Crosby, are to conduct the meeting.

Elder J. W. Collins and wife, went to Hartford on business last Thursday.

Calvin Bryan of Hartford was in our community a while Tuesday afternoon.

J. J. Collins will close his writing school at the Kinsaul school house Friday.

Fodder pulling is the order of the day with our farmers just now. While some have cotton to pick.

The dry weather here has seriously injured the crops of this section.

We had another fine sing here Sunday.

The young people enjoyed a nice entertainment at Sim Weeks' Tuesday night.

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HARVESTER CUTS, THRESHES AND SACKS GRAIN AT ONCE

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